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SUBJ: MANAS BUTHELEZI ACCEPTS VISITING PROFESSORSHIP
IN U.S.

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1. DR. MANAS BUTHELEZI, BRILLIANT AND OUTSPOKEN AFRICAN CLERIC, HAS ACCEPTED VISITING PROFESSORSHIP AT WESLEY THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY IN WASHINGTON D.C. IN ADDITION TO TEACHING AT WESLEY, BUTHELEZI WILL HONOR PREVIOUS INVITATIONS TO SPEAK AT OTHER U.S. SEMINARIES. HIS LECTURES REPORTEDLY WILL DEAL WITH RECENT ATTEMPTS TO CREATE BLACK THEOLOGY RELEVANT TO NEEDS OF SUPPRESSED BLACK MAJORITY IN SOUTH AFRICA.

2. BUTHELEZI, NATAL REGIONAL DIRECTOR OF CHRISTIAN INSTITUTE, WAS BANNED BY SAG IN DECEMBER 1973, AROUSING WORLD OUTCRY. IN HIGHLY UNUSUAL MOVE HE WAS UNBANNED SIX MONTHS LATER.

3. BUTHELEZI, ACCOMPANIED BY WIFE, INTENDS DEPART FOR
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U.S. JANUARY 8. HE WILL STAY FOR APPROXIMATELY SIX

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